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Il Team diabetologico e la terapia insulinica oggi: luci ed ombre

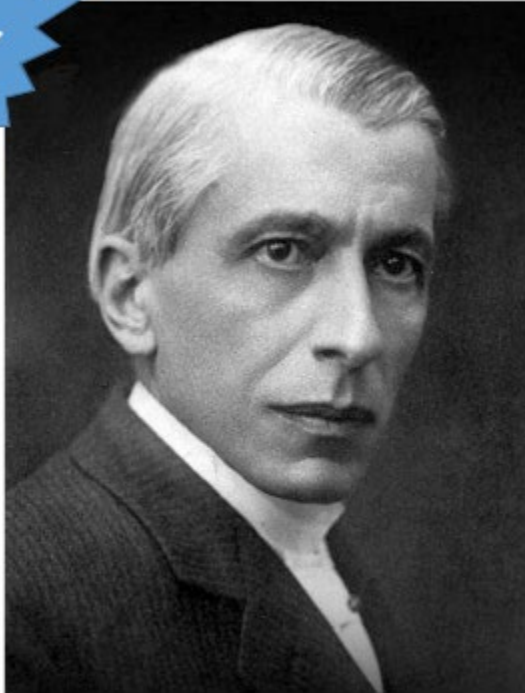
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1921



SCOPERTA DELL'INSULINA

Nicolae Paulescu (1869 –1931)

**estrae dal pancreas una soluzione acquosa
che, iniettata in un cane diabetico, normalizza
i valori di glicemia nel sangue**

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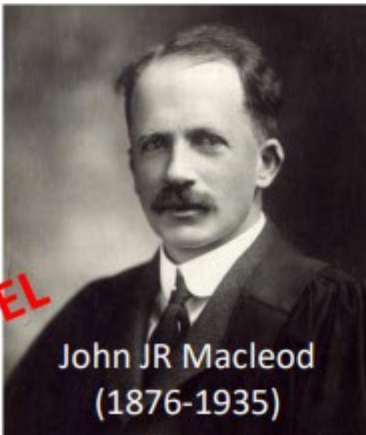
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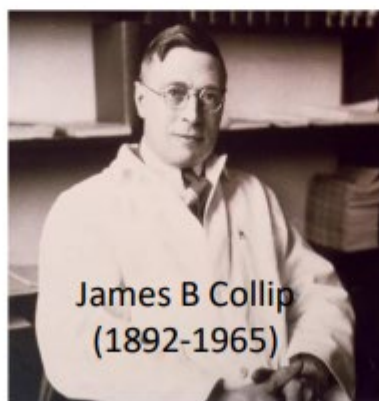
Frederick G. Banting
(1891-1941)



Charles H. Best
(1899-1978)



John JR Macleod
(1876-1935)



James B. Collip
(1892-1965)

**Estrazione da un cane
dell'estratto delle isole di
Langerhans («isletina»>)**



**Iniezione dell'estratto in un
cane senza pancreas**



**Miglioramento dell'equilibrio
glicemico**



Isolamento dell'ormone

IL PRIMO TRATTAMENTO DOCUMENTATO CON INSULINA

**SCIENCE'S NEW CURE LEADS
HUGHES'S CHILD TO HEALTH**

Toronto, Oct. 15.—A gain of sixteen pounds in two months shows the remarkable response of Miss Elizabeth Hughes, fifteen, daughter of Charles Evans Hughes, Secretary of State, to the Insulin treatment for diabetes, which she has been taking here under the personal attention of Dr. F. G. Banting, who discovered the method.

When Miss Hughes came here she was unable to assimilate any of the staple foods which contain carbohydrates, and as a consequence she was forced to a diet which bordered on starvation.

After a few injections of the extract which forms the basis of the treatment, her improvement was marked. These injections provided the element in her blood which oxidized the sugar and after the first week she has been extending her diet and now it embraces all the staple foods.

Miss Hughes is making her home in Toronto with a nurse, Miss Burgess, who has been with the Hughes family for some years. Mrs. Hughes visited the city in August, expecting to take her daughter to the Toronto General Hospital, and was overjoyed when she found that this step was unnecessary.



Miss Elizabeth Hughes



LEONARD THOMPSON
First patient to receive insulin in
Toronto.

Nel sito dell'Università di Toronto è possibile vedere i dati storici registrati durante le sperimentazioni.

<https://insulin.library.utoronto.ca/about/patients>

Le insuline moderne

1955



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Frederick Sanger

(1918 –2013)

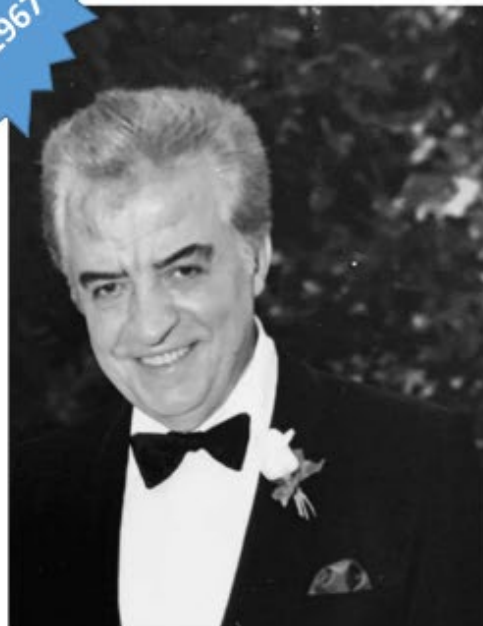
Determina la sequenza primaria dell'insulina

Le terapie, prima degli anni '80, erano fatte con preparati insulinici industriali ottenuti da pancreas bovini e suini.

**Processo costoso e poco efficace:
dal pancreas di un maiale si ricavano circa 250 UI di insulina,
quantitativo sufficiente per circa 6 giorni
(per produrre un flaconcino servivano circa 6 mesi)**

Le insuline moderne

1967



Panayotis G. Katsoyannis

(1924 - 2019)

Sintesi in laboratorio dell'insulina umana

Insulin Peptides. XVI. The Synthesis of a Nonapeptide and a Dodecapeptide Derivative Related to the A Chain of Human Insulin (Positions 1–9 and 10–21)^{1,2}

Panayotis G. Katsoyannis, Clyde Zalut, and Andrew M. Tometsko

Contribution from the Division of Biochemistry, Medical Research Center, Brookhaven National Laboratory, Upton, New York. Received April 3, 1967

Journal of the American Chemical Society | 89:17 | August 16, 1967

Dal 1973 si iniziò a produrre insulina umana

LE PIETRE MILIARI

1936 Hans Christian Hagedorn lavora all'insulina protaminata: insulina NPH, commercializzata nel **1950**

1974 Immissione in commercio delle insuline porcine mono-componenti

1979 Primi pazienti trattati con microinfusori per la terapia insulinica intensiva

1981 insulina umana da DNA ricombinante

1986 Immissione in commercio delle penne con cartucce intercambiabili

1993 Il DCCT dimostra che nel tipo 1 glicemie più basse riducono le complicanze croniche

1996 Immissione in commercio del primo analogo dell'insulina lispro

2000 Analogo sintetico basale dell'insulina umana glargine

2014 Primo biosimilare dell'insulina

2017 analogo ultrarapido aspart

Elliot P. Joslin (1869-1962) conduce regolari cicli di insegnamento per i diabetici fin dal 1916 : *"Il diabetico va a scuola per imparare a preservare la sua vita "*



LA TERAPIA INSULINICA È DA TEAM

**GUIDELINES FOR THE
DIABETES HEALTH CARE TEAM (Continued)**

Professional Responsibilities	Indicate Responsible Professional	Check When Completed	Patient's Responsibilities	Check When Completed
<i>Explain acute complications:</i> – Describe causes, treatment, prevention of hypoglycemia (insulin reaction). – Describe causes, treatment, prevention of hyperglycemia (acidosis). – Provide appropriate literature.			<i>Learn about acute complications:</i> – Explain causes, treatment, prevention of hypoglycemia (low blood sugar, insulin reaction.) – Explain causes, treatment, prevention of hyperglycemia (high blood sugar, acidosis). – Read literature (patient and family).	

TEAM



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TERAPIA INSULINICA



SCREENING
COMPLICANZE



ALIMENTAZIONE
STILI DI VITA
CAOUNTING



EMPOWERMENT



MICROINFUSORE



MONITORAGGIO
GLICEMICO



La classifica dei 20 migliori centri italiani

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CHI TRA VOI LAVORA IN TEAM ?

TEAM ?



Scoperte della 2^ metà del '900

Richard Murlin (USA, 1923)

Scopre e definisce il glucagone

William W. Bromer (USA, 1956)

Determina la sequenza primaria del glucagone

Rosalyn Yalow e Solomon Berson (USA, 1959)

Scoprono il dosaggio radioimmunologico

Donald Steiner (USA, 1967)

Scoprono la pro-insulina

Dorothy Hodgkin (England, 1969)

Scopre la struttura tridimensionale dell'insulina

Pierre Freychet (USA, 1971)

Caratterizzano i recettori dell'insulina

Ralph DeFronzo e Reuben Andres (USA, 1979)

Inventano le tecniche di clampaggio dell'insulina

Graham Bell (USA, 1980)

Scoprono la sequenza del gene per l'insulina

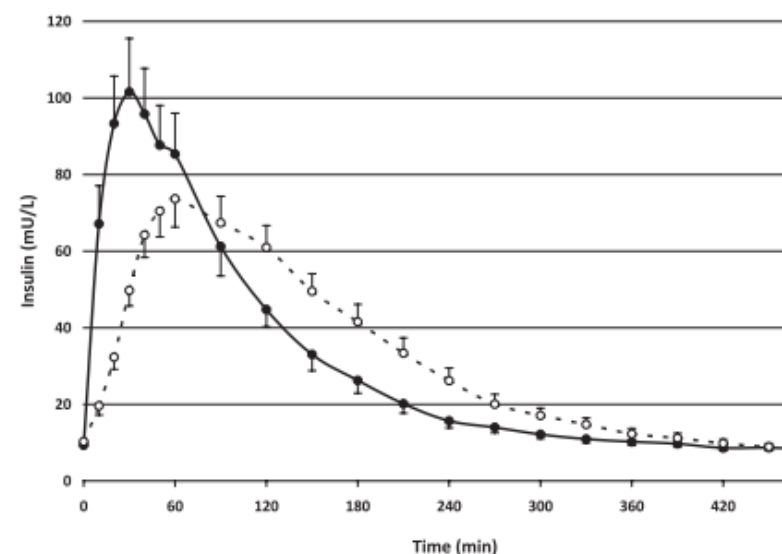
Improved Pharmacokinetic and Pharmacodynamic Profile of Rapid-Acting Insulin Using Needle-Free Jet Injection Technology

ELSEMIEK E.C. ENGWERDA, EVERTINE J. ABBINK, CEES J. TACK, BASTIAAN E. DE GALAN,



Diabetes Care
34:1804–1808, 2011

	Jet injector	Conventional insulin pen	P value
Pharmacokinetic parameters			
T-INS _{max} (min)	31 ± 3	64 ± 6	<0.0001
C-INS _{max} (mU/L)	108 ± 13	79 ± 7	0.012
INS _{AUC} (unit · min ⁻¹ · mL ⁻¹)	14.6 ± 1.6	15.2 ± 1.4	0.53
T-INS _{AUC50%} (min)	111 ± 5	147 ± 5	<0.0001
Pharmacodynamic parameters			
T-GIR _{max} (min)	51 ± 3	105 ± 11	0.0001
C-GIR _{max} (mg · kg ⁻¹ · min ⁻¹)	6.49 ± 0.58	6.09 ± 0.56	0.50
GIR _{tot} (g)	70.0 ± 6.9	83.3 ± 9.8	0.19
T-GIR _{50%} (min)	123 ± 7	166 ± 6	<0.0001



Lispro administered by the QS-M Needle-Free Jet Injector generates an earlier insulin exposure

Jinbo Hu, Hui Shi, Changhong Zhao, Xiyue Li, Yue Wang, Qingfeng Cheng, ...show all

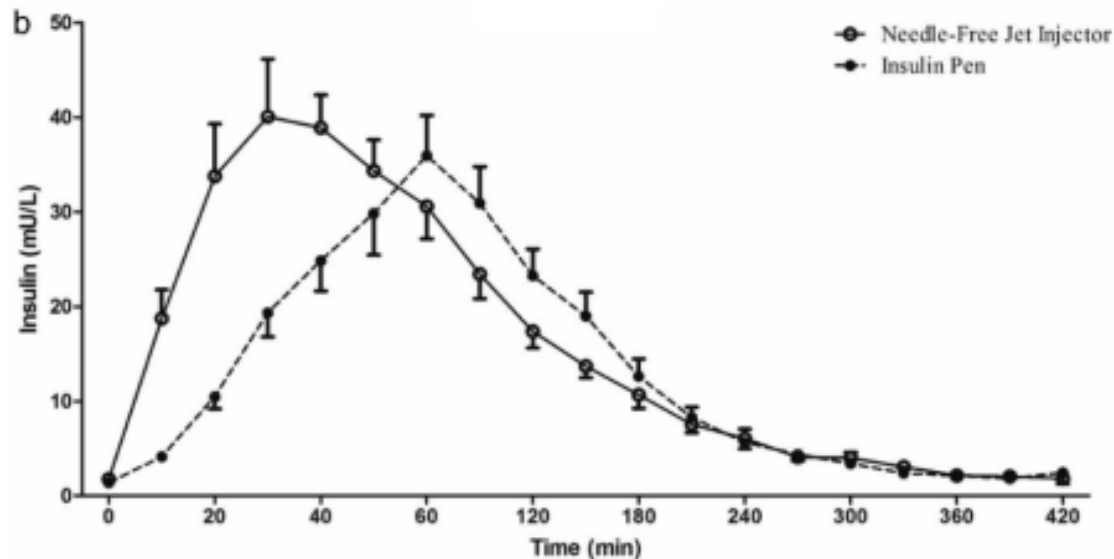
Pages 1203-1207 | Received 07 Jan 2016, Accepted 26 May 2016, Accepted author version posted online: 06 Jun 2016, Published online: 17 Jun 2016

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Lispro administered by QS-M needle-free injector results in earlier and higher insulin exposure than conventional pen, and a greater early glucose-lowering effect with similar overall potency

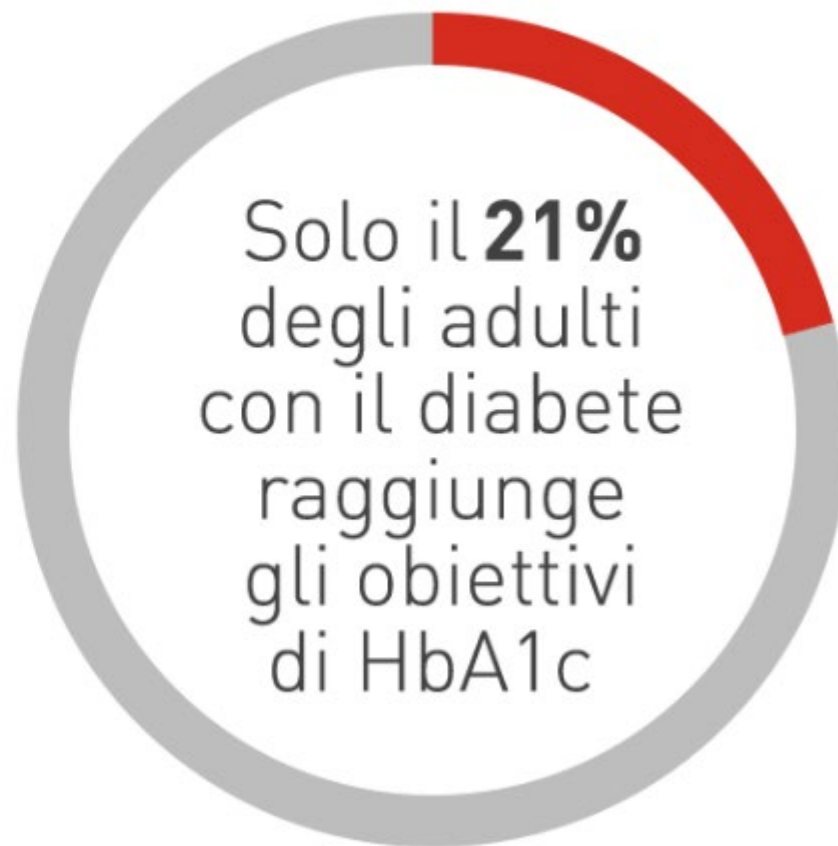
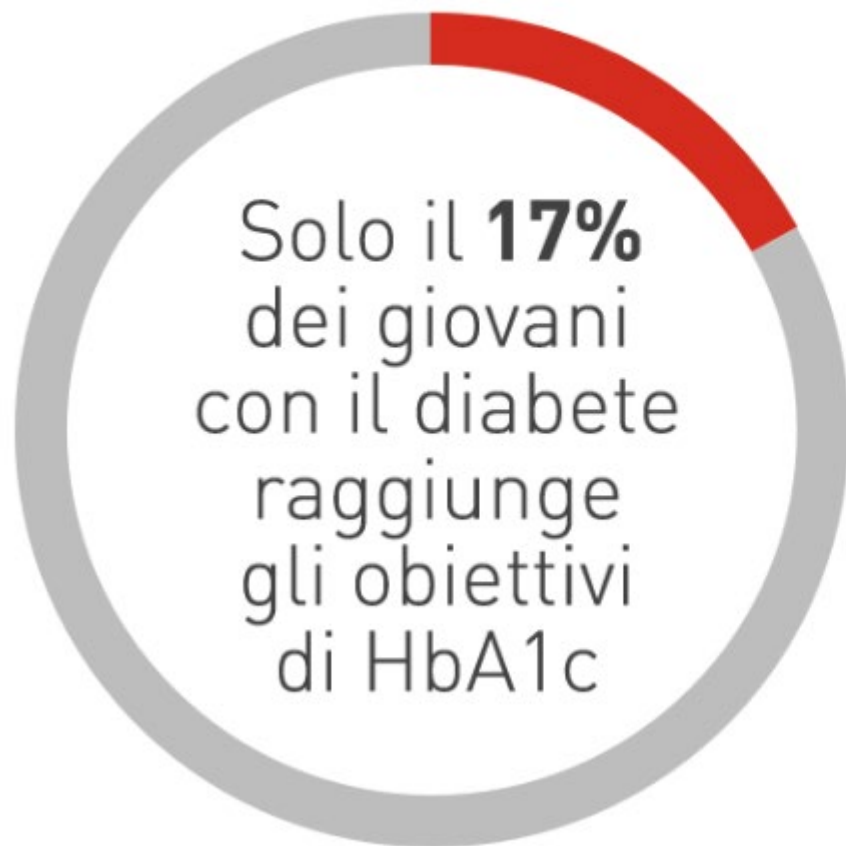


**INSULINA JET
20 PASSAGGI !!!**



SITUAZIONE GLOBALE AL 2019

IN ITALIA TRA 40 E 50%







Lipoatrophy following the injection of insulin

Williams J. R.

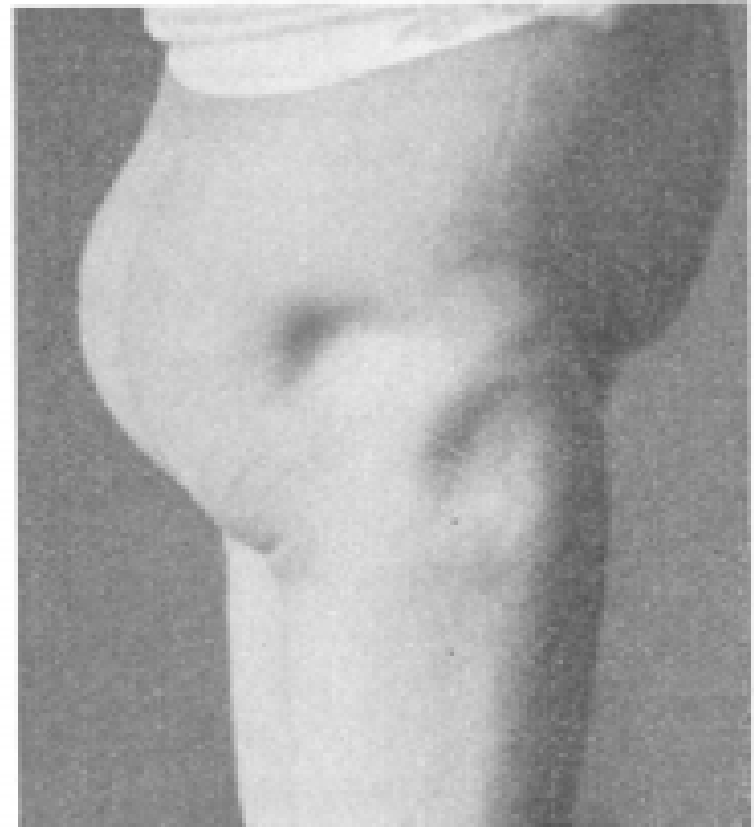
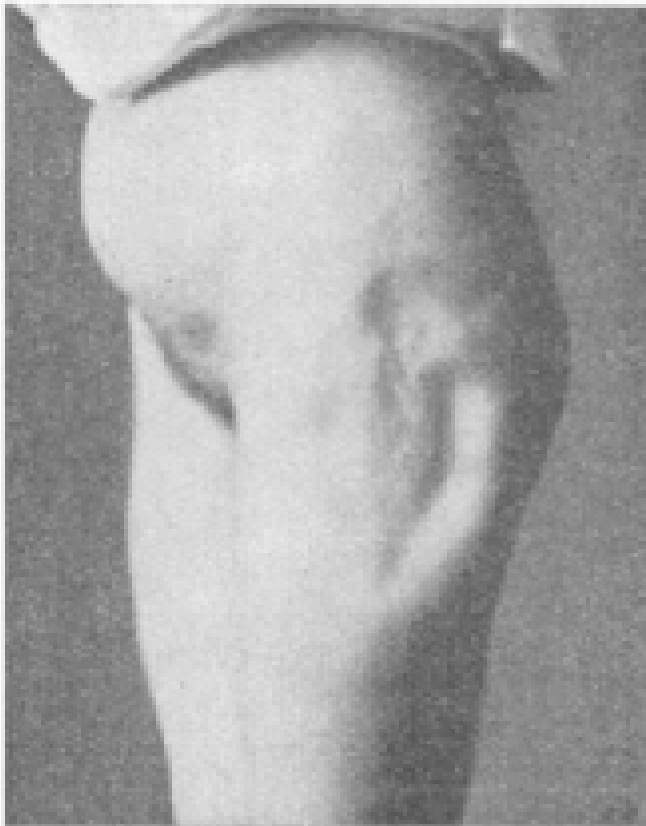
Journal of Metabolic Research 1922;2:729

PRIMA NOTIZIA DI LIPODISTROFIA

TESTO NON REPERIBILE

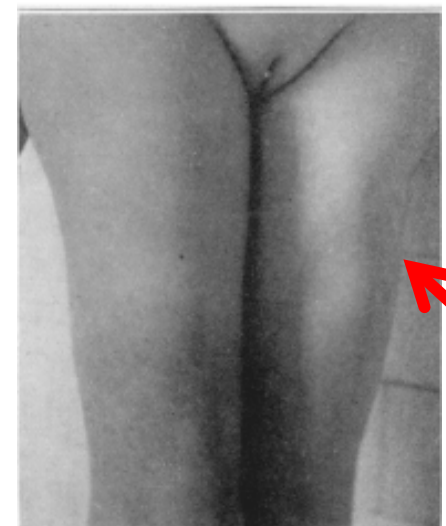
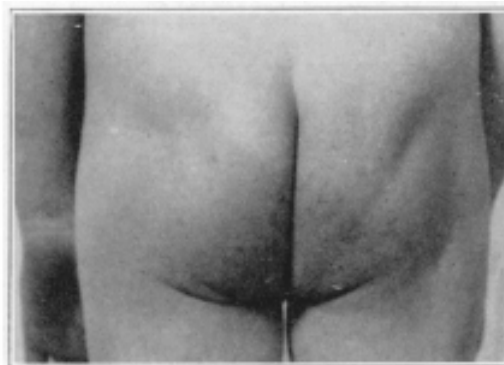
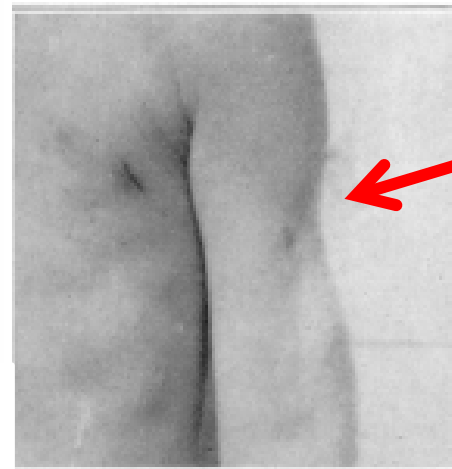
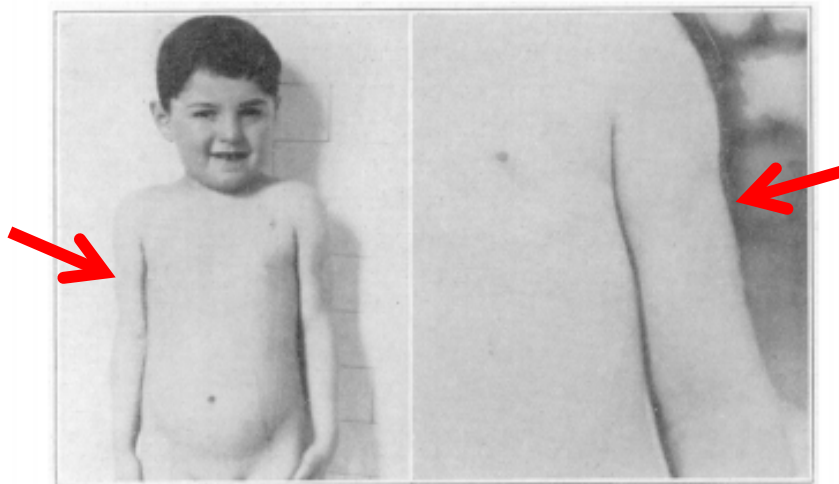
**ÜBER LOKALE LIPODYSTROPHIE BEI LANGE
ZEIT MIT INSULIN BEHANDELTEN FÄLLEN
VON DIABETES*).**

Von
Dr. F. DEPISCH,



THE FREQUENCY OF ATROPHY OF THE SUBCUTANEOUS FAT FOLLOWING THE INJECTION OF INSULIN *

ALFRED E. FISCHER, M.D.
NEW YORK



LIPODISTROFIA= ALTERAZIONE DELLO STRATO LIPIDICO DEL SOTTOCUTE

LIPOIPERTROFIA

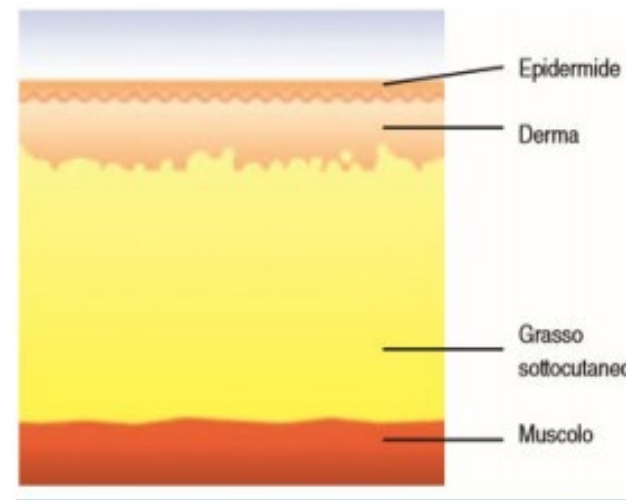


**Media 38%
Variabili dal 2 al
75%**

**LIPOIPOTROFIA o
LIPOATROFIA**



Oggi < 5 %



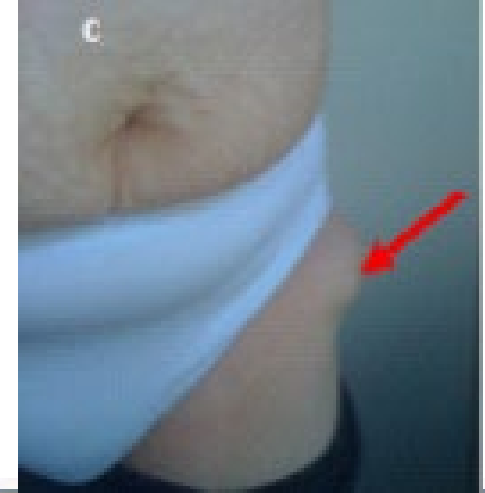
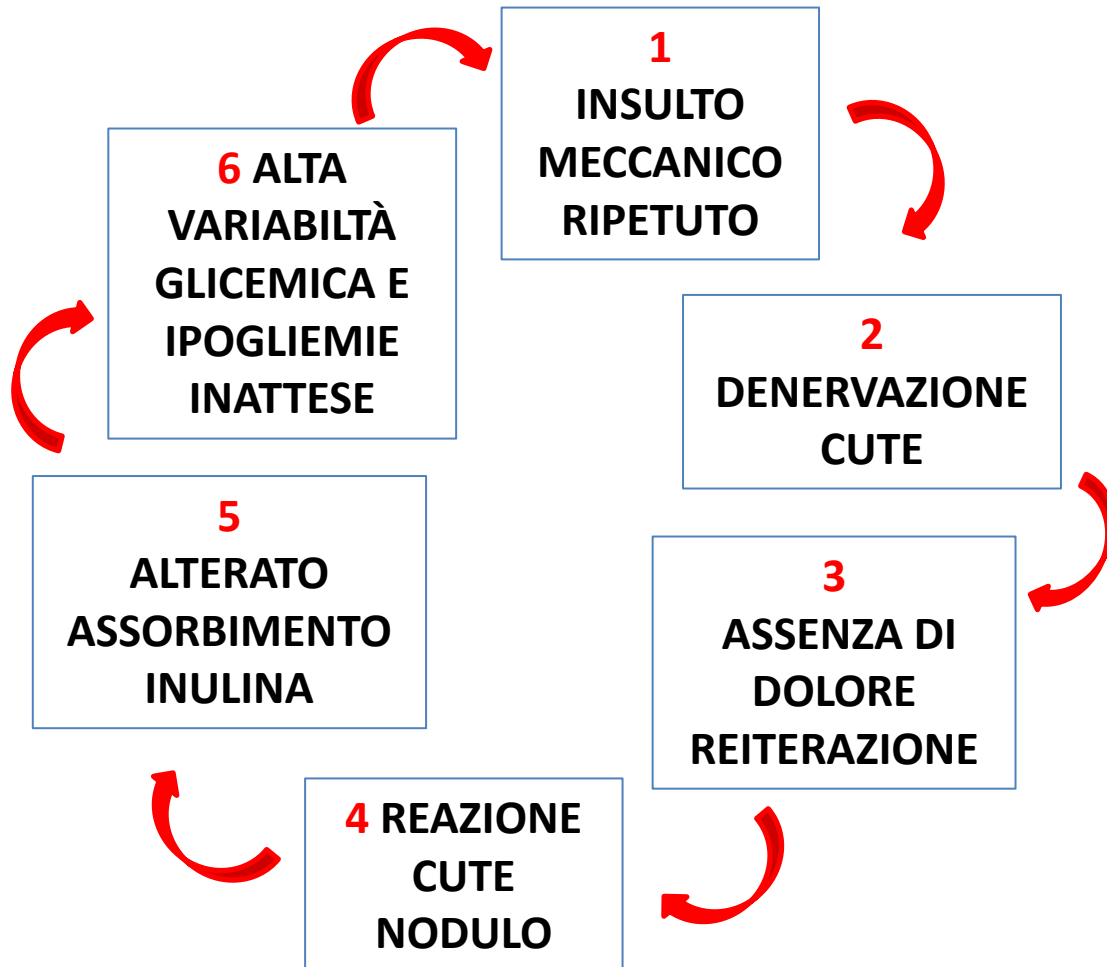
LIPOHYPERTROPHY PREVALENCE VARIABILITY

	Publication year	Prevalence (%)	Author	Diabetes type 1 or 2
Seyoum	1996	31.0	9	1 + 2
Hauner	1996	28.7	10	1
Partanen	2000	34.5	11	1
Raile	2001	27.1	12	1
Kordonouri	2002	48.0	13	1
Vardar	2007	48.8	14	1 + 2
Hajheydari	2011	14.5	15	1 + 2
Teft	2002	57.0	16	1 + 2
Blanco	2013	64.0	17	1 + 2
Grassi	2014	49.0	18	1 + 2
McNally	1988	28.0	19	2
Hauner	1996	3.6	10	2

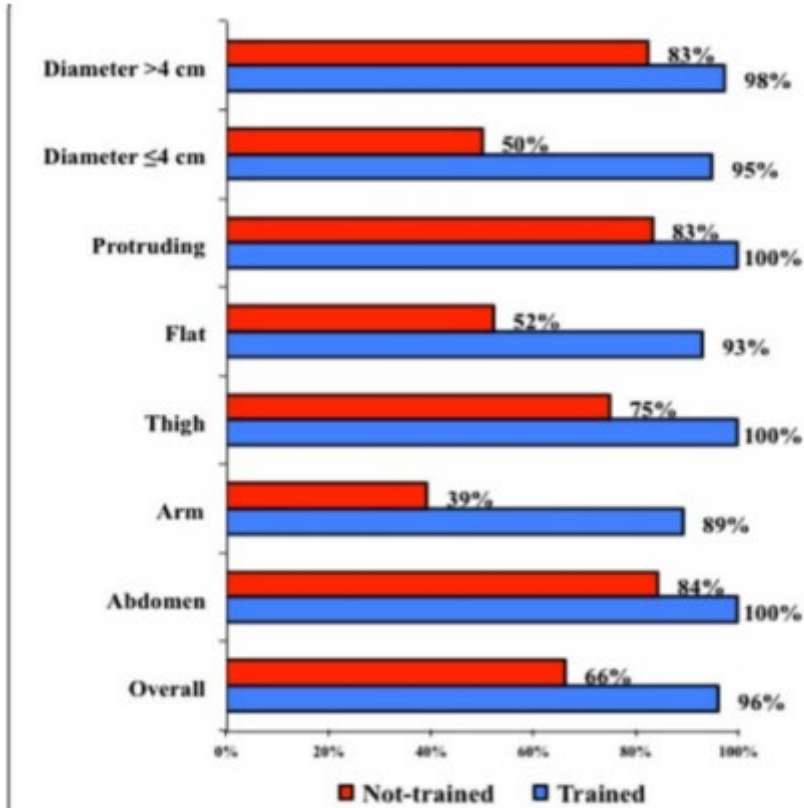
Gentile S, et al. A suitable palpation technique allows to identify skin lipohypertrophic lesions in insulin-treated people with diabetes. Springerplus. 2016 May 5;5:563.

Le LIPO-IPERTROFIE variano dal 4,5% al 64%,

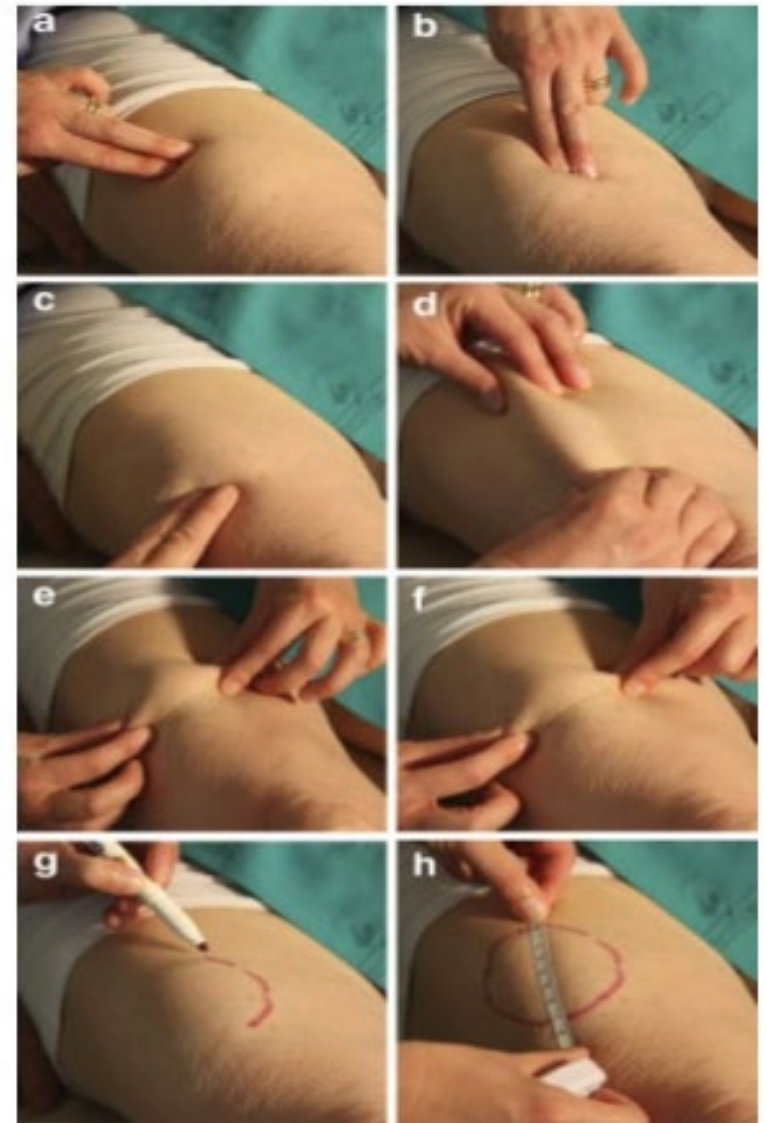
Ciò dipende da metodo, competenza e esperienza di chi le cerca



RICERCA DELLE LIPO-IPERTROFIE: METODOLOGIA



Lipohypertrophy identification results obtained by trained and non-trained health professionals as referred to the shape, site and size of skin lesions



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LIPOIPERTROFIA



Descritta come noduli sporgenti o piani di tessuto di consistenza duro gommosa, più o meno sporgenti sul piano della pelle circostante

PINCHING

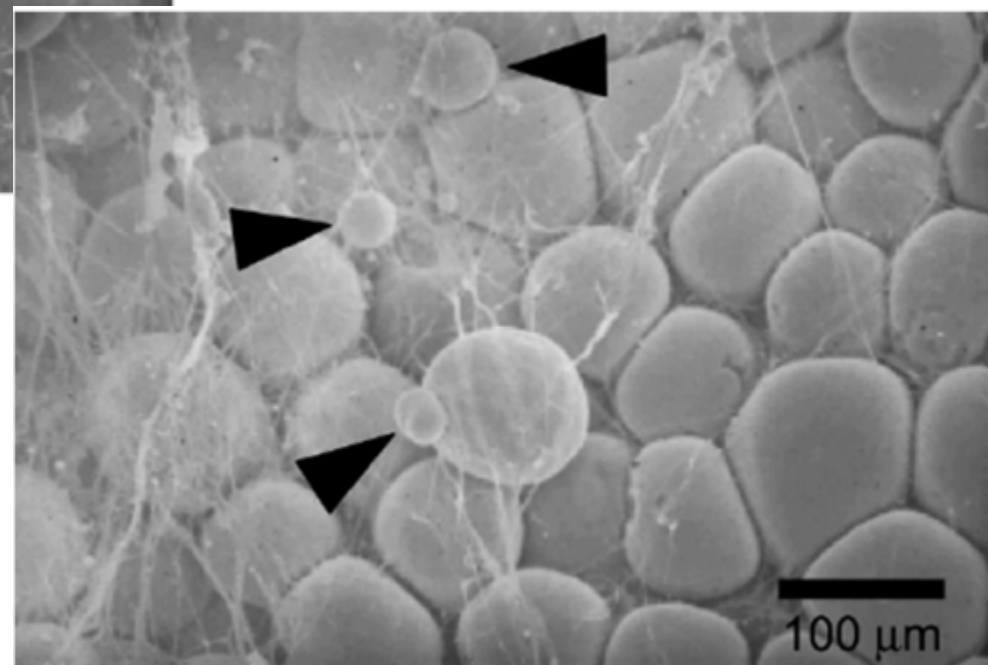
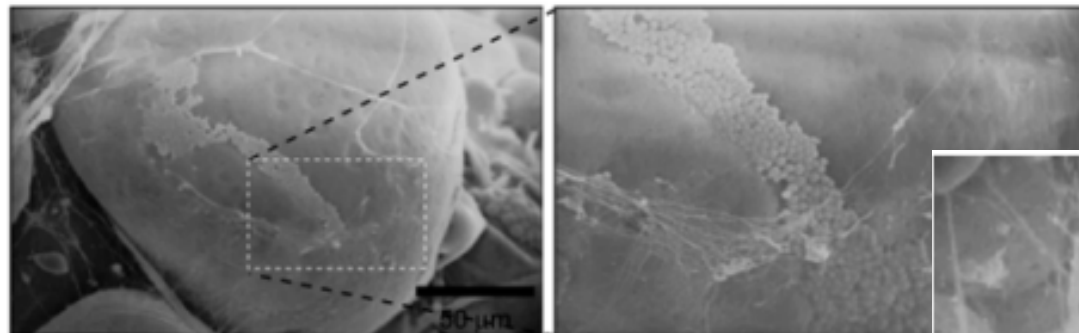
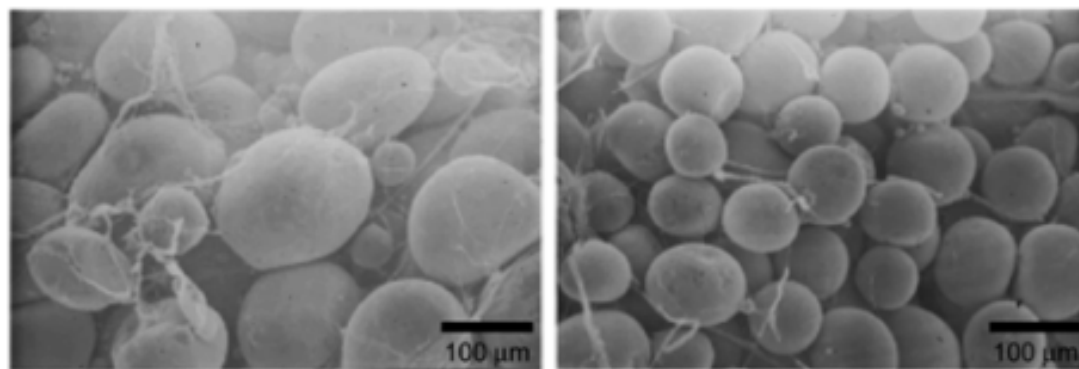


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EFFETTI DELLE LIPODISTROFIE

1. LH is very frequent
2. Main causes: insulin, non-rotation, reuse
3. LH distorts insulin absorption
4. LH worsens glucose control
5. LH leads to excessive and avoidable medical costs

**MICROSCOPIA ELETTRONICA DI NODULO LH
MEGA-ADICOPICI E MICRO-ADIPOCITI + AMPI TRALCI FIBROSI**



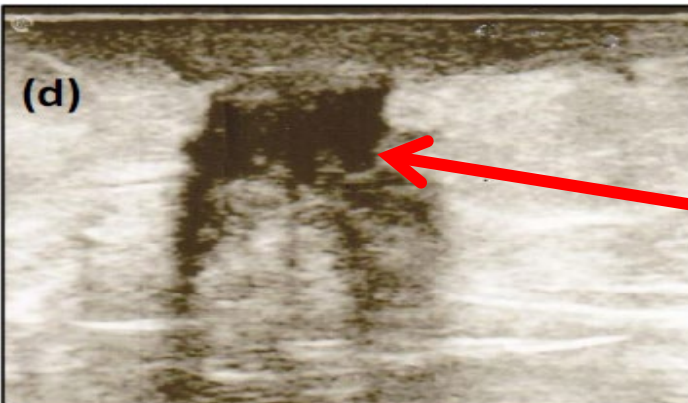
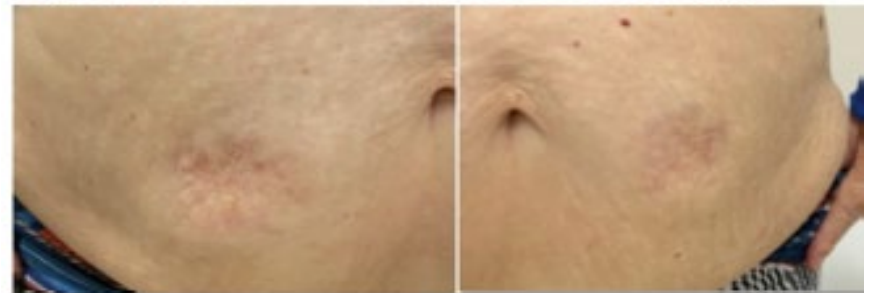
Rappresentazione schematica e caratteristiche clinico-morfologiche identificative dei tipi più frequenti di LH



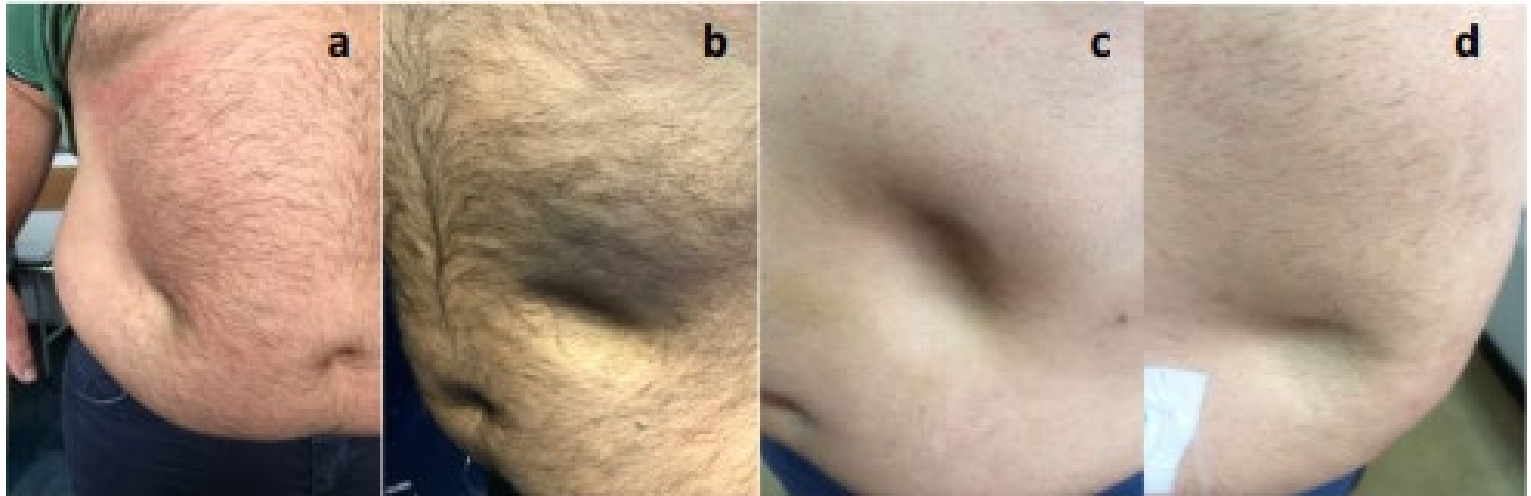
Tipo	Definizione	Visibilità	Palpabilità	Consistenza
A	Piccoli noduli	Facilmente evidente di profilo con luce tangenziale	Facile	Duro-elastica
B	Grandi noduli	Visibile di profilo, meglio con luce tangenziale	Facile	Duro-elastica
C	Piastrone duro-elastico	Visibile con difficoltà	Non facile/meglio definibile con pinching	Generalmente morbida
G	Nodulo molle	Non visibile	Difficile da distinguere/meglio con palpazione più vigorosa e/o pinching	Generalmente elastica

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Tre anni dopo aver smesso di iniettare nei noduli



Liquido con insulina 13 volte più concentrata del sangue



Frequency of LH and diabetes complications

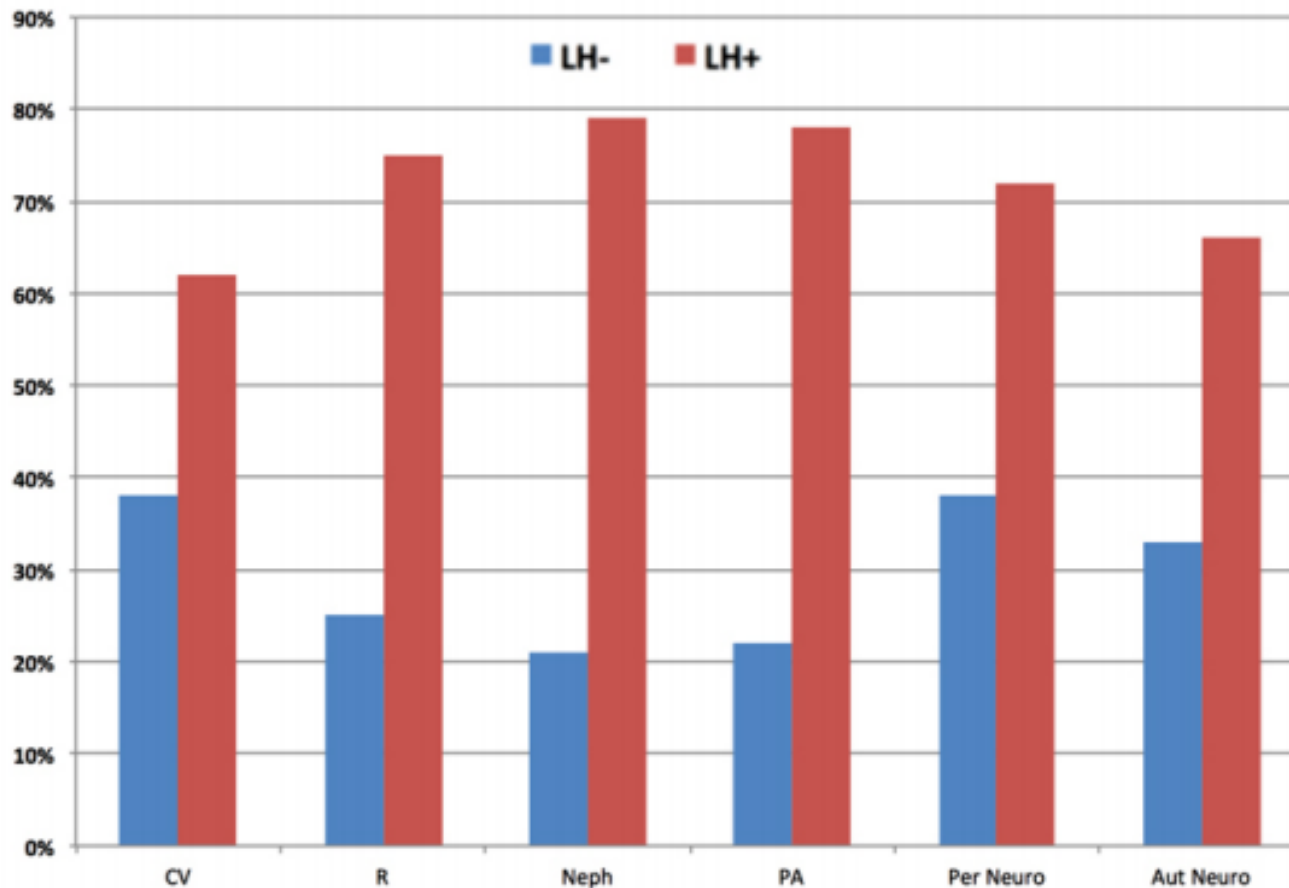


Figure 3: Frequency of LH and diabetes complications. All differences were statistically significant ($p < 0.001$).

CV: Cardio-CerebroVascular complications; R: Retinopathy, Neph: Nephropathy; PA: Peripheral Artery disease; Per Neuro: Peripheral Neuropathy; Aut Neuro: Autonomic Neuropathy.

RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN NEEDLE LENGTH AND LIPOHYPERTROPHY

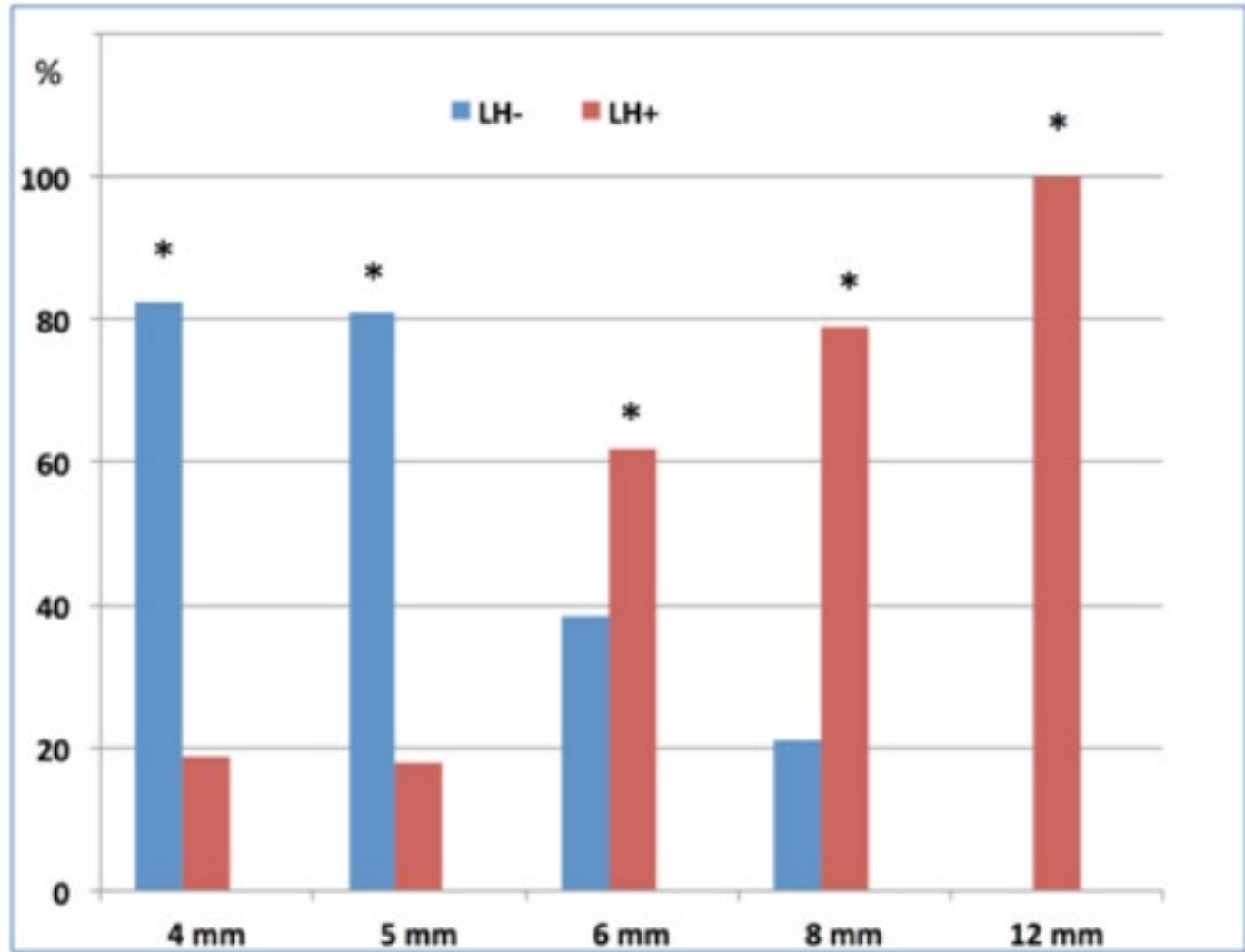


Figure 5: Relationship between needle length and lipohypertrophy. $*p < 0.001$

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RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN NEEDLE GAUGE AND LIPOHYPERTROPHY

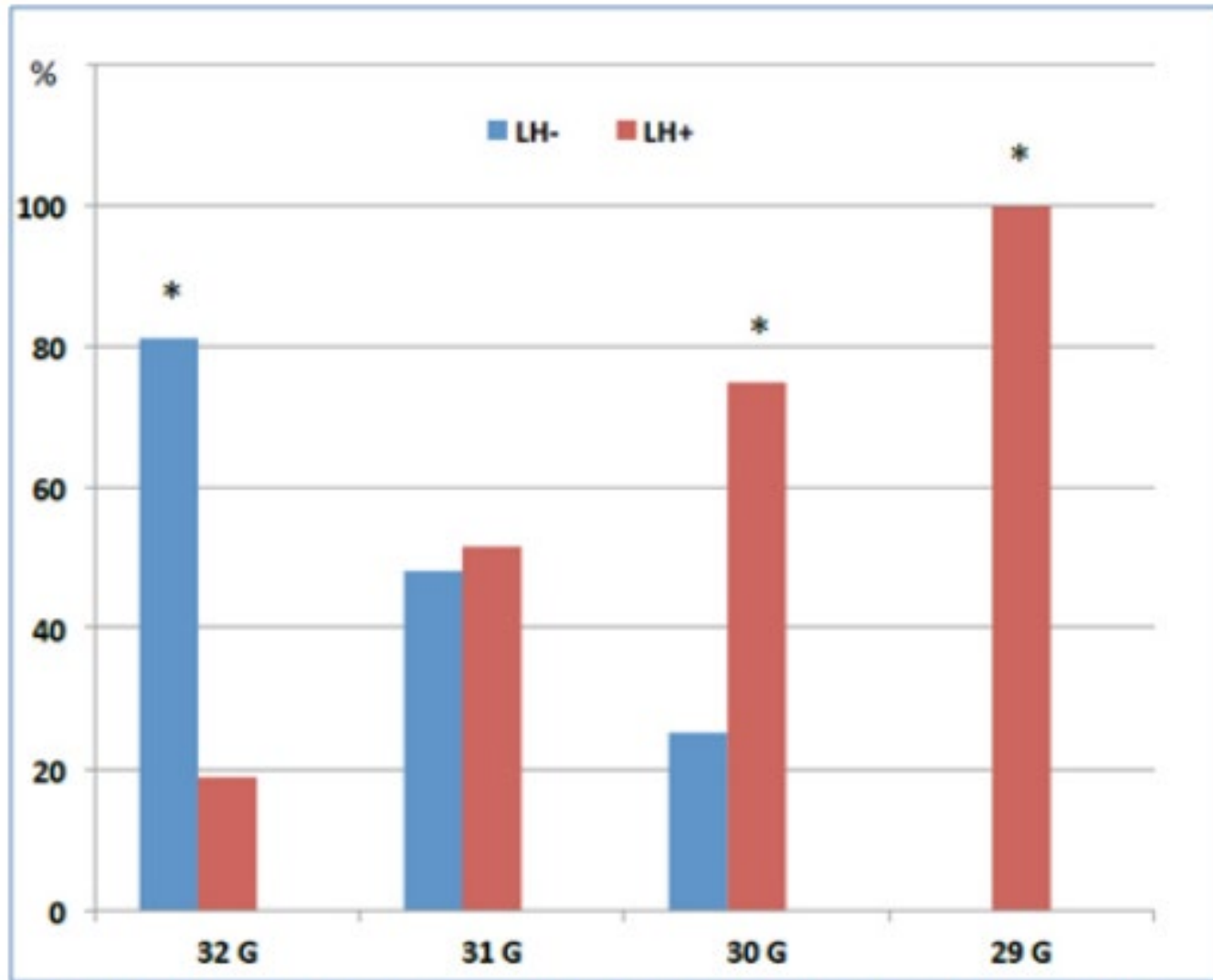
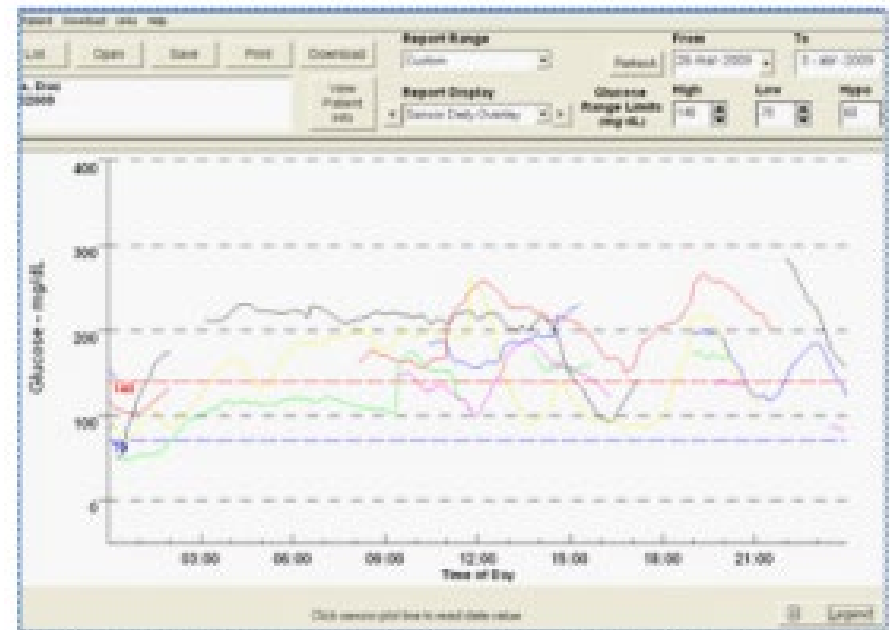
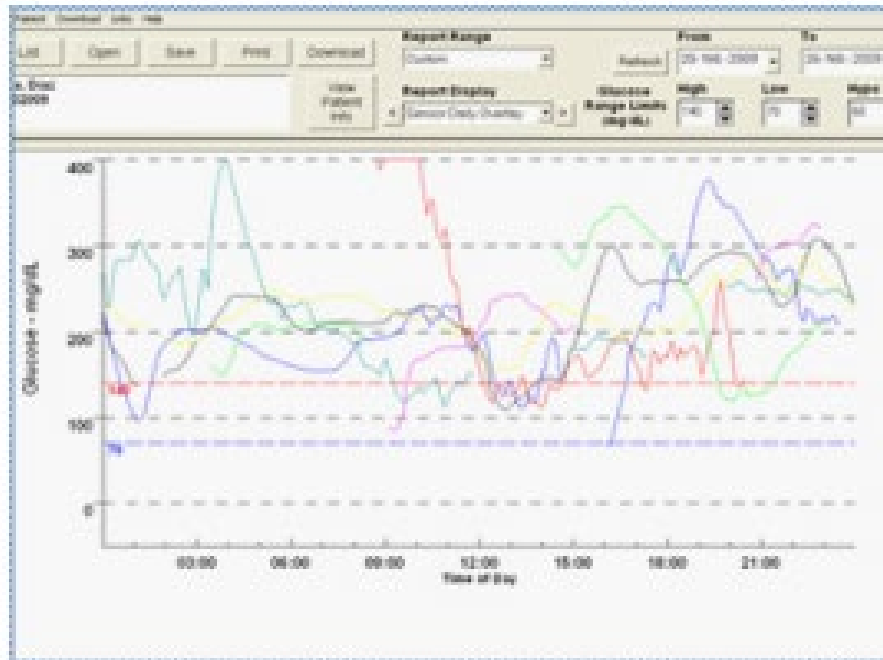


Figure 6: Relationship between needle gauge and lipohypertrophy. $*p < 0.001$.

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VARIABILITÀ GLICEMICA





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Cost saving effects of a short-term educational intervention entailing lower hypoglycaemic event rates in people with type 1 diabetes and lipo-hypertrophy

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198 persons T1DM and LH

Table 1 – Frequency and costs of severe and symptomatic hypoglycaemic events at baseline vs. post-education follow-up.

Cost /event (€)		Severe hypos (Sevs)				Symptomatic hypos (Syms)			
		Baseline		Follow-up		Baseline		Follow-up	
		episodes n.	€	episodes n.	€	episodes n.	€	episodes n.	€
PHV	25.8	16	413.1	6*	154.9	0	0	0	0
ER	241.0	49	11809.0	18*	4338.0	0	0	0	0
EMS	128.5	49	6296.5	21*	2698.5	0	0	0	0
FM/CWD	78.6	136	10689.6	42*	3301.2	110	8646.0	42*	3301.2
DHC	750.0	13	9750.0	6*	4500.0	0	0	0	0
Total: €		38958.2		14992.6		8646.0		3301.2	

PHV = physician home visit; ER = emergency room visit and treatment; EMS = emergency medical service call/h; FM = family member; C = caregiver; WD = working day; DHC = daily hospitalization cost.

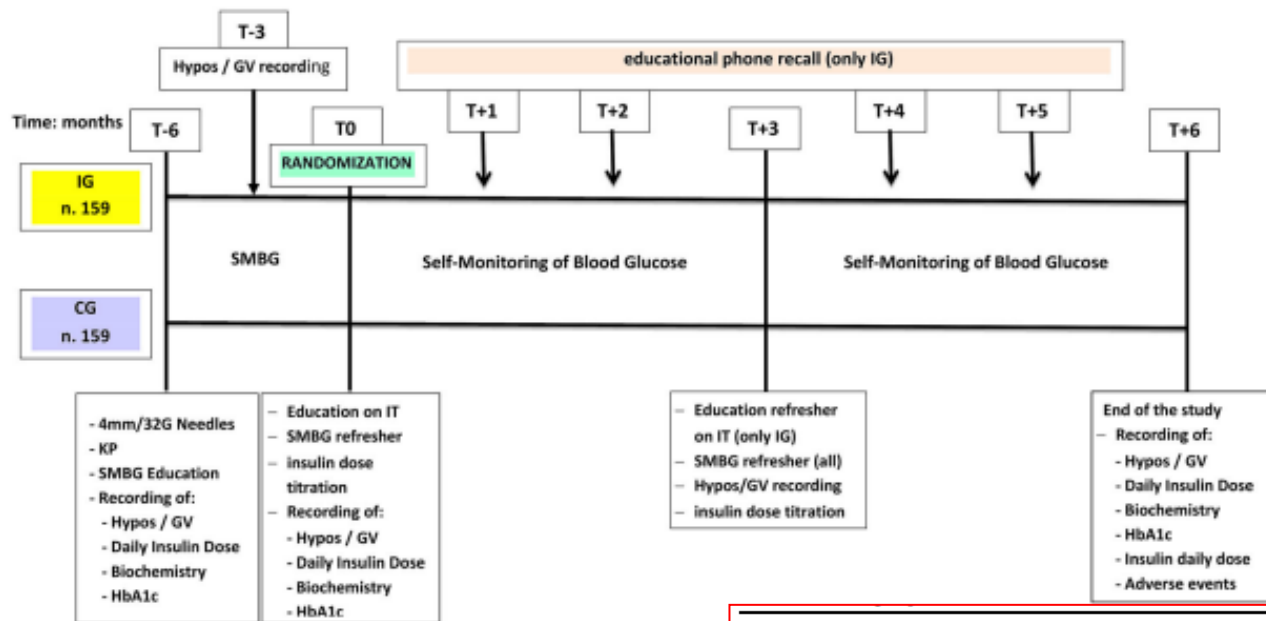
* $p < 0.01$ vs baseline.



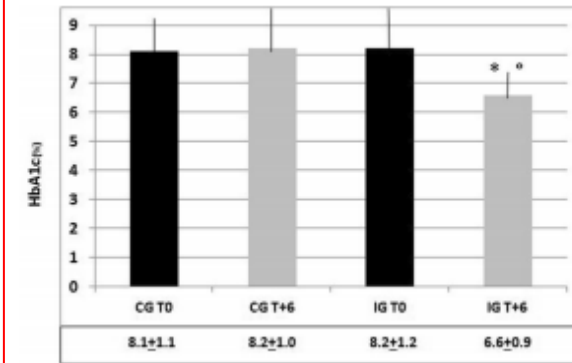
ORIGINAL RESEARCH

Gentile et al, 2020

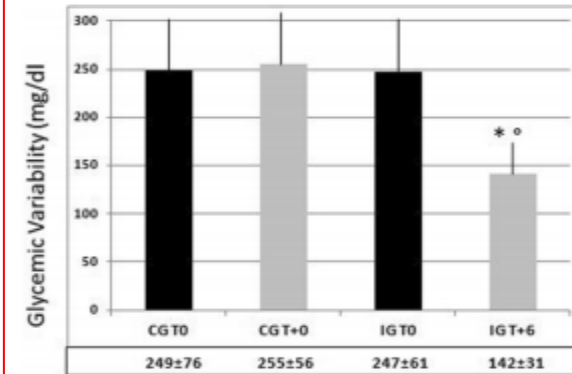
Role of Structured Education in Reducing Lypodistrophy and its Metabolic Complications in Insulin-Treated People with Type 2 Diabetes: A Randomized Multicenter Case-Control Study



HbA1c



Variabilità glicemica



↓ ipoglicemie

	T0 n = 159	T+3 n = 159	T+6 n = 159	Δ T0 vs T+6	p T0 vs T+6
Control group (n = 159)					
Severe hypo n (%)	26 (16.35)	20 (12.58)	22 (13.84)	- 4 (- 7.23)	n.s.
Symptomatic hypo n (%)	133 (83.65)	141 (88.68)	135 (84.91)	+ 2 (+ 1.51)	n.s.
Severe or symptomatic hypo n	159	159	153	- 6 (- 3.77)	n.s.
Intervention group (n = 159)					
Severe hypo n (%)	26 (16.35)	9 (5.66) ^a	1 (0.63) ^{a, c, d}	- 25 (- 96.15) ^d	0.0001
Symptomatic hypo n (%)	133 (83.65)	66 (41.51) ^{a, c}	12 (7.55) ^{a, d}	- 121 (- 90.97) ^d	0.0001
Severe or symptomatic hypo n	159	75 ^{a, d}	13 ^{a, c, d}	- 299 (- 91.82) ^d	0.0001

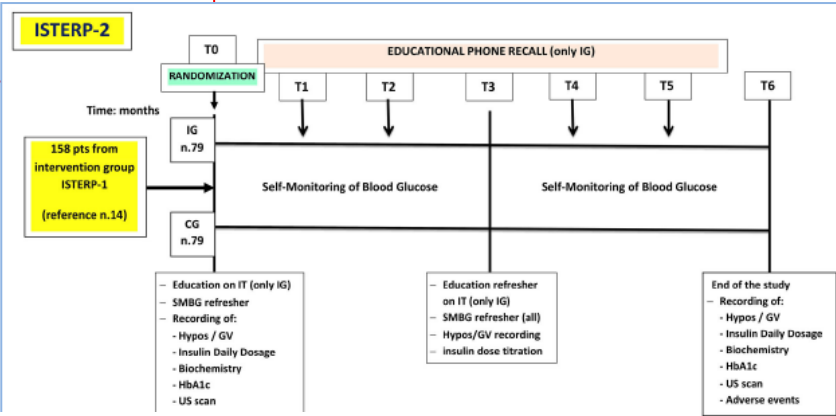


ORIGINAL RESEARCH

Gentile et al, 2021

The Durability of an Intensive, Structured Education-Based Rehabilitation Protocol for Best Insulin Injection Practice: The ISTERP-2 Study

Frequency of severe and symptomatic hypoglycemic events



Study groups	Hypoglycemic episodes	T0 (n = 158 overall)	T+3 (n = 79)	T+6 (n = 79)	Δ T+6 increase/decrease vs. T0 (n times)	p
Control group (n = 79)	Severe	1 (1.26)	5 (6.32)*	9 (11.39)	+ 9.0	0.00134
	Symptomatic	6 (7.59)	14 (17.72)**	24 (30.37)	+ 4.0	0.0198
	Overall	8 (10.12)	19 (24.05)**	33 (41.77)	+ 4.12	0.0189
Intervention Group (n = 79)	Severe	0	0	0	–	–
	Symptomatic	6 (7.59)	2 (2.53)*	3 (3.79)	– 0.5	0.05
	Overall	6 (7.59)	2 (2.53)*	3 (3.79)	– 0.5	0.05
Symptomatic control group vs. intervention group		n.s	0.00128	0.00192		

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HAI PAZIENTI CON LIPOIPERTOFIE?

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CONTROLLI SISTEMATICAMENTE LE SEDI INIETTIVE ALLA RICERCA DI LIPODISTROFIE ?

CON QUALE FREQUENZA LO FAI?

- 1. AD OGNI VISITA ?**
- 2. OGNI 6 MESI ?**
- 3. 1 VOLTA ALL'ANNO DURANTE LO SCREENING DELLE COMPLICANZE ?**

